GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES
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ESTABLISHMENT OF SSI UNITS IN NINTH PLAN
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Will the Minister of SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) the number of small scale industries set up by each State during the Ninth Plan;

(b) the total investment made by each State for the establishment of the same; and

(c) the incentives provided by the Union Government in promoting SSI units in different States?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES AND DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH-EASTERN REGION(SHRI SIKDAR)

(a) & (b): A Statement showing State-wise number of registered Small Scale Industrial (SSI) units set up during the Ninth Plan alongwith the cumulative number of registered SSI units at the endof March, 2002 i.e. the end of Ninth Plan is enclosed. SSI unitsare set up in the Private Sector and the registration of the SSIunits is voluntary. However, the State Governments facilitate their promotion and development within the respective States. The total investment in the SSI sector during Ninth Plan is estimatedto be Rs. 24896 crore. The State-wise break-up of investment is not maintained centrally.

(c): Government both at Central and States level has beenimplementing a large number of schemes for the promotion and development of the Small Scale Industries in the country. At the Central level, the important schemes are Integrated Infrastructure Development, technology upgradation, Credit Guarantee Scheme,Credit Linked Capital Subsidy Scheme, Tool Rooms, Product-cum- Process Development Centre, Entrepreneurship Development,Assistance on acquiring ISO-9000, etc. While the advantage of these schemes can be availed by SSI entrepreneurs from any part ofthe country, these schemes are not State specific. In addition, on 30th August 2000, the Prime Minister announced a ComprehensivePolicy Package for the promotion and development of Small Scale Sector to enhance its competitiveness, both domestically and globally. The policy package consists of enhanced fiscal and credit supports, better infrastructure and marketing facilities and incentives for technology upgradation.